

Daily Devotion for March 11, 2021

⁸ Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I. Send me!" Isaiah 6:8

Ten years ago on March 11, 2011 Japan experienced the largest earthquake in their recorded history. At 2:46 p.m. a 9.0 magnitude earthquake struck the Tohoku area causing a massive tsunami, taking the lives of 15,889 people, 6157 were injured, and 2529 people were lost and reported missing.

If you recall the video's of that day, you saw the massive destruction that was caused. At the time of the earthquake churches and mission agencies were called upon to send out missionaries to share the love and good news to the Japanese people. I know several individuals who responded to that call and spent time digging in the rubble in order to rescue those who were lost. In Isaiah 6:8, the Lord asked, "who will go for us?" Isaiah's response was "Here am I. Send me!"

Thought For Today: People around you are "lost" without the hope that we have in Jesus. The question of the Lord today is the same, "who will go for us?" Can you say to the Lord today, Here am I. Send me!

Today's Prayer Focus: Pray for the mission outreach of our church that God would give us a vision for reaching the "lost" and fulfilling the Great Commission. Continue to pray this week's prayer fuel. Deo Volente.